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Washington, D.C.

From:

John Edgar Hoover, Director

Pederal Bureau of Investigation

Subject:

EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER

aka B. Franklin Frazier, Franklin Frazier United Nations Educational, Scientific,

and Cultural Organization

Paris, France

LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS

AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS-IR

A loyalty form has been received concerning the employee, six copies of which are being transmitted herewith. A full field investigation is being initiated by this Bureau ecnearming captioned employee pursuant to Executive Order 10622.

Piles of this Bureau reflect that the Washington Bookshop Association sponsored a symposium in Washington, D. C., on 11-17-44, and that Franklin Frazier was moderator at this meeting. The Washington Bookshop Association has been cited by the Attorney General under Executive Order 10450.

It is to be noted that under item eighteen on the employee's Identification and Personnel Data Form he indicates membership in the Council on African Affairs. This organization has been cited by the Attorney General under Executive Order 10450. He also indicates membership in the Southern

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It is noted that Frazier indicates on his Identification and Personnel Data Form that from 1940 to 1941 he was in Rio de Jameire, Sao Paulo, Bahia, Trinidad and Haiti. In 1949, he indicates that he visited in Jameira, Haiti, and Puerto Rico. He indicates that he has resided in Paris since 1950. It is also noted that his wife is residing with him in Paris at the present time. Since December, 1951, he has been employed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization. Under item fourteen of his Identification and Personnel Data Form he indicates that he has travelled extensively in Central America, South America, and Europe.

In this connection it would be appreciated if you would have the necessary investigation conducted abroad. It would also be appreciated if seven copies of your report could be received to facilitate the handling of this case by this Bureau. In the event that substantive disloyal information is developed, it is suggested that such information be obtained in the form of a signed statement if possible.

This is being submitted for your confidential information and should not be disseminated to unauthorized persons or agencies.

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On page five of this report E. Franklin Frazier, 220 Rhode Island Avenue, is listed as having attended a 1940 Socialist Party Convention. (61-626-198x1)

Further reference is made to the report of SA

New York City, dated 3-31-43, entitled "March on Washington Movement, Internal Security," New York file 100-26792. On page eleven of this report information is set out that Communists under the leadership of E. Franklin Frazier, tried to crash a meeting of the Fair Employment Practice Committee (FEPC) held on January 27, 1943, at the YMCA in New York City. (100-95014-234)

Reference is made to the report of SA Washington,
D. C., dated November 13, 1952, entitled "Emergency Civil Liberties Committee,
Internal Security - C," WFO file 100-26294. On pages fifteen through eighteen
of this report, a summary of E. F. Frazier's subversive activities are set out.

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The "Daily Worker" for 7-18-49, page two, contained an article headed "Non-Partisan Committee Being Formed in Defense of the Twelve." This Non-Partisan Committee was to be formed in order to defend the rights of the twelve Communist leaders on trial. Included among the Committee was E. Franklin Frazier, Professor at Howard University. (100-3-74-A)

Reference is made to the report of SA Washington, D. C., dated 3-31-45, entitled "The Washington Bookshop Association, Internal Security - C."
WFO file 100-1618. On page seven of this report, the employee is listed as a member of the Washington Bookshop Association. (100-24699-87)

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New York, dated 9-30-46, entitled "Communist Infiltration of the National Council of Scientific Art, Professional and White Color Organizations, Internal Security - C, " New York file 100-80576. On page twelve of this report a summary of the employee's subversive activities is set out. This summary includes his attendance at a meeting of the National Council of American Soviet Friendship. (100-342704-4)

Reference is made to the report of SA, Chicago, dated 3-15-45, entitled "Foreign Inspired Agitation Among the American Negroes in the Chicago Field Division, Internal Security," Chicago file 100-8458. On page three of this report information is set out that the employee was the principal speaker at a mass meeting of the Negro History Week in Chicago on 2-18-45, and that a large number of sponsors of the Negro History Week were either CPA members or were connected in some way with CPA front groups.

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Reference is made to New York letter to the Bureau dated June 7, 1950, entitled "National Council for American Education; Information Concerning," New York file 100-91459. This letter contained as an enclosure a dossier entitled "Red-Ucators at Columbia University." On page three of this dossier the employee's affiliation with Communist front organizations is set out. (62-87760-29)

Reference is further made to the report of SA dated February 5, 1951, at Washington, D. C., entitled "National Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions, Incorporated; Internal Security - C, Internal Security Act, 1950," which contains pertinent information concerning Edward Franklin Frazier.

According to the report dated June 28, 1950, of the Hearings before a Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, the "Daily Worker" published an open letter on 4-16-47, calling upon Congress to defeat the various "exceptional and punitive measures directed against the Communist Party," which was in the hands of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. The letter further stated "the Communist Party is a legal American Political Party. We see nothing in its program, record or activities, either in war or peace, to justify the enactment of the repressive legislation now being urged upon the Congress in an atmosphere of an organized hysteria." Among the signers of this letter was E. Franklin Frazier, Howard University. (101-1603-11)

In an article published by the "Daily Worker" in its issue of October 31, 1950, the employee was listed as a sponsor of a conference to be held on Armistice Day, November 11, 1950, in New York City, to plan action urging the United States recognition of the Peiping Government and its admittance to the United Nations. (100-3-80-A)

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The Washington Beekshop Association has been sited by the Attorney General under Executive Order 10450.

The WFG should thoroughly review their files 101-1405 and 65-3956 concerning captioned employee and set out all pertinent information therein.

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WFO will set out the personal history, and in setting set the basis for this investigation in its report will correctly indicate therein that this investigation is being conducted pursuant to Executive Order 10422. WFO, in addition to making the usual agency shocks, will also check records of GIA for any information they might have conserving the employee's wife, Marie Brown Frazier, who is residing in Paris, France, with him at the present time. The State Department is being requested to conduct necessary foreign investigation.

In the conduct of investigations of this type, you should refer to Bureau Bulletin 53-2, dated Jamary 24, 1953. Your investigation should cover the employee's character, reputation, and associates as well as his legalty. Office indices, credit and criminal, should also be checked sensering his relatives and the results incorporated in your report. The original and seven copies of your report are to be forwarded to the Bureau and the notation "Refer to Employees Security Section" should appear at the top of each original piece of correspondence. This case is to be assigned.

to mature and experienced agents thoroughly familiar with Loyalty and applicant-type investigations, and care should be taken to avoid any adverse criticism of the Bureau in the handling of this important program. This case is to be assigned immediately and Buded must be met without fail.

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## BUREAU OF INVESTIG

To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION.

JULY 6, 1953

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Transmit the following message to:

SAC. NEW YORK

EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER. UN. REBULET SIX TWENTYTHREE FIFTYTHREE. YOUR ATTENTION DIRECTED TO URREP SIX TWENTYNINE FIFTYTHREE IN THE CASE "RALPH JOHNSON BUNCHE, LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS." (YOUR FILE 138-19). REP REFLECTS E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER ATTEMDED MEETING OF CP FRACTION AT WASHINGTON, D. C., IN NINETEEN THIRTYFIVE, PRIOR TO FORMATION OF THE NATIONAL NEGRO CONGRESS. FRAZIER IDENTIFIED BY PROFESSOR AT HOWARD UNIVERSITY. AND APPEARS TO BE IDENTICAL WITH THE EMPLOYEE. YOUR INVESTIGATION IN THIS MATTER SHOULD INCLUDE INTERVIEWS WITH

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SAC, New York

August 18, 1953

Director, FBI

#### PERSONAL ATTENTION

LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (EXECUTIVE ORDER 10422)

Reference is made to Bureau air-tel captioned as above dated August 11, 1953, which instructed that all United Nations cases in your office having a Bureau deadline prior to August 20, 1953, must be completed and a report submitted to reach the Bureau by that date.

There is set forth below a list of United Nations loyalty cases supervised in the Employees Security Section of the Bureau which are pending in your office and which have a Bureau deadline on or before August 20. As you know, these investigations were based on disloyal allegations and it should be apparent that their early completion is necessary to preclude possible criticism of the Bureau.

These cases are being brought to your attention to insure that they are being closely followed. The Bureau is holding you personally responsible for their immediate completion.

To assist you in properly following these investigations to early completion, the date the investigation was opened is being set forth in addition to the name of the subject of the investigation.

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OF REPORT SA , 3/20/50, NEW YORK, NEW YORK FILE	
100-95988. FRAZIER NAMED AS PROMINENT AMERICAN ENDORSING THE WORLD PEACE	
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July 17, 1953

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIM IS UNITASSIMED DATE 8/23/89

#### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

#### DETAILS:

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AT LAWRENCEVILLE, VIRGINIA:

Registrar, St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School, advised that his records for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918 are incomplete and fail to reflect the b7c employment of the employee as a professor at the institution during 1917 and 1918. However, he stated that J. L. WHITEHEAD, Treasurer of the institution, and J. ALVIN RUSSELL, Past President, were associated with the school at that time and would in all possibility recall EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

J. ALVIN RUSSELL, Past President, St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School, advised that he recalled the employee as a professor of English and History at St. Paul's during 1917 and 1918, while he, RUSSELL, was president of the school. He considered the employee as an industrious student of brilliant mind. He stated that he had not seen the employee for a number of years, but based on his former association with him he would state the employee was a man of excellent moral character, dependable, honest and a loyal American citizen.

J. L. WHITEHEAD, Treasurer of St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School, stated that the employee had been professor of English and History at St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School during 1917 and 1918 and had been known by him as a close friend and associate. He stated that EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER was a very intelligent man, honest, dependable, of excellent moral character and a loyal American. He has met the employee on several occasions since he left St. Paul's and he continues to consider him a close friend. He stated that FRAZIER has continued to advance in the teaching profession and was considered by all who knew him as an outstanding student and teacher.

F. A. PATTERSON, bookkeeper, St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School, advised that he had been a student under EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER during 1917 and 1918. He stated that he had not seen the employee since that time, but while FRAZIER was a professor at St. Paul's, he appeared to be a man of brilliant mind, honest, dependable, of good moral character, and a loyal American citizen.

#### CREDIT

of St. Paul's Normal and Industrial School, advised that there was no credit reporting agency in Lawrenceville. However, he is positive that EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER'S credit, while at Lawrenceville, had been good or the school would have been notified of the fact.

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#### CRIMINAL

, Brunswick County, advised that the records of the Circuit Court and the Criminal Docket reflected no record of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

of Lawrenceville, advised that his records did not pre-date 1926.

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Charlotte, North Carolina July 23, 1953

#### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

#### Empleyment

b6 b7C Registrar, Livingstone College, Salisbury,
North Carolina, advised that the college records during the 1920's
are not complete, however they do reflect that EDWARD FRAZIER was
director of a six weeks summer school session in 1922. She stated
that their files reflect no further information concerning EDWARD FRAZIER.

advised that she has been with the college since 1925 and
that there is presently no one at the college who was here at the time
the employee served as director of summer school.

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Dr. WILLIAM J. TRENT, President, Livingstone College, advised that he had been President of the College since 1925 and he understood that the employee had served as director of summer school in 1922 under Dr. G. C. SUGGS, now deceased. Dr. TRENT advised there was no one presently at the college who was here when the employee directed the summer school. Dr. TRENT stated, however, that he was personally acquainted with the employee while FRAZIER was Professor of Sociology at Morehouse College in 1920's. He further stated that he had also known the employee casually during the summers of 1926 and 1927 while the employee was attending the University of Chicago. Dr. TRENT advised that he had never had any reason to question the employee's loyalty to this country and that he was not aware of the fact that the employee was a member of any subversive organizations. Ir. TRENT stated that he has not had any contact with the employee since 1926 or 1927. Dr. TRENT stated further that the employee married a MARIE BROWN who was originally from Winton, North Carolina.

Identification
 Deputy Sheriff Rowen County Sheriff's
nd Detective Salisbury Police Department, advised ords reflect no arrest record for the employee or his wife.
AT WINTON, NORTH CAROLINA
Relatives

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#### Credit and Criminal

The records of the Glerk of Superior and Recorder's Courts, Hertford County, Winton, failed to reflect any record for MARIE BROWN, MARIE BROWN FRAZIER, EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, or FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

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North Carolina, advised that the records of the Tri-County Merchants
Association reflect no credit record for any of the above listed names.

The files of the Charlotte Office reflect no information concerning EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER or his wife, MARIE EROWN FRAZIER.

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Dr. HERBERT G. BLUMER, Chairman of the Department of Sociology and Social Institute, University of California, advised that he has known Dr. FRAZIER since about the summer of 1925 when both were graduate students in the Department of Sociology at the University of Chicago. He stated that they took their doctorate degree and entered academic work about the same time and correspond with each other and see each other two or three times a year at professional meetings. Dr. BLUMER went on to say that he believes he has a good picture of the employee and that he knew him well in non-academic work about 1931 or 1932. He stated that since that time, his personal contacts have been somewhat limited because of the nature and location of their work.

Dr. BLUMER advised that the employee's reputation, on a professional basis, is of the highest order, he being one of the foremost sociologists of his race in the world. He further advised that Dr. FRAZIER is the only person of his race to be President of the American Sociological Society which has been in existence since 1895. Dr. BLUMER went on to say that he can state quite forcibly that from the standpoint of the employee's character and reputation, he is recognized as honest, forthright, cooperative, honorable and a man of good sober judgment, bordering on the limits of great caution. He stated that Dr. FRAZIER is quite respected in terms of his thinking, has a disciplined mind and the disciplined character that goes with it.

According to Dr. BLUMER, in all of his associations with the employee, he cannot think of anything which would suggest disloyalty to our government or our way of life, nor does he recall any association with individuals or organizations on the part of Dr. FRAZIER that he (BLUMER) would think of as subversive in any sense. Dr. BLUMER went on to say that in Dr. FRAZIER's era, after World War I, there was an easy tendency for young

intellectuals of his race to be easily wooed by radical individuals and movements but that Dr. FRAZIER remained quite aloof and detached from such influences. Dr. BLUMER stated that the employee's reputation among sociologists was that he would never be thought of as "radically inclined."

Dr. BLUMER stated that to his knowledge, Dr. FRAZIER has not been affiliated with individuals or organizations of doubtful principles or aims, has not espoused any disloyal or subversive beliefs and that such affiliation or action would not be in keeping with the employee's character or way of thinking.

According to Dr. BLUMER, he met Mrs. FRAZIER some years ago but his acquaintance with her and other members of the employee's family have been quite limited and he cannot comment upon them.

Dr. BLUMER advised that he would have no hesitation or qualification in recommending Dr. FRAZIER for a position of trust, responsibility or security and believes him eminently qualified for the position he presently holds with the United Nations.

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#### AT TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA.

, Business Office, Tuskegee Institute, advised that she could not find the records of employees for the year 1916. She made several efforts to locate some information that might establish employment of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER but was unable to do so.

- J. J. FLOOD, Dean of Men, Tuskegee Institute, advised that he was a student at Tuskegee Institute during the school year of 1916-17, and he recalled FRAZIER as one of his instructors. He related that to his knowledge FRAZIER was not there but one year and left for another job of his own accord. Mr. FLOOD advised that in his opinion FRAZIER was a person of good character and reputation, and he does not recall anything that might have reflected on his loyalty. He related that he has not had any direct contact with FRAZIER since 1916 and only knows of his work through the newspapers and from persons he has been in contact with through the years.
- J. L. ANDERSON, Superintendent, Buildings and Grounds, Tuskegee Institute, advised that he was at the school during the time FRAZIER was there, but he does not recall him.

of his life, advised he does not know FRAZIER.

Court; PRESTON HORNSBY, Sheriff, Macon County, advised that the files of their offices fail to show any record for FRAZIER.

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There is no credit bureau in Tuskegee, Alabama.

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New Orleans, Louisiana July 20, 1953

#### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

On the identification and personnel data sheet submitted by the employee, he lists membership in the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc., at New Orleans, Louisiana, and indicates that he is a member of the board.

Confidential Informants of known reliability, and who are acquainted with the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc., and its parent organization, the Southern Conference for Human Welfare, have advised that the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. was originally an adjunct of the Southern Conference for Human Welfare before the latter's demise in 1948. Political differences among the Southern Conference for Human Welfare leaders and unfavorable publicity from the House Committee on Un-American Activities resulted in its dissolution and, although the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. continued as a separate and independent organization, it stressed the fact it was non-political in nature. The Fund has devoted its efforts primarily to race relations, particularly in the field of education, campaigning against discrimination and segregation in this field.

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The above informants have advised that the principal leaders of the Southern Conference for Human Welfare are the same as those who presently head the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc.  has served as Director of both the Southern Conference for Human Welfare and the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. While the Communist Party was interested in infiltrating and controlling the Southern Conference for Human Welfare, it has given little indication of interest in the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc.
The Southern Conference for Human Welfare, the parent organization, has been cited by the House Committee on Un-American Activities as a Communist front. Confidential Informant stated that the Southern Conference for Human Welfare during its active period was considered by the Communist Party as a transmission belt to reach the masses. However, not all of the national officers of the Southern Conference for Human Welfare were controlled by the Communist Party.
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Confidential Informant, of known reliability, and a long-time member of the Communist Party, advised that he did not believe to be a member of the Communist Party but knew him as being sympathetic with the Party over a period of years took orders from the Communist Party and was an officer in the Southern Conference for Human Welfare through the determined efforts of the Communist Party. However, on one occasion requested a Communist Party member to resign from the old Southern Conference for Human Welfare when it became publicly known that this individual was a Communist since feared that this disclosure might jeopardize the or-ganization.

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The Southern Patriot, which is published by the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc., in the January, 1949 issue on Page 4, Column 3, named Dr. E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER, Head of the Department of Sociology, Howard University, as a member of the Board of the SCEF. The Southern Patriot, March, 1950 edition, Page 1, Columns 1, 2 and 3, announced that a Southwide Conference on discrimination in higher education will be held at Atlanta University on April 8, 1950. The news article stated that Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Head of the Department of Sociology at Howard University, and former President of the American Sociological Society, would be the keynote speaker. The article concluded that the SCEF was serving as coordinator for the conference.

The April, 1950 issue of the Southern Patriot on Page 2, Columns 2 and 3, contained excerpts from FRAZIER's keynote address on April 8, 1950, entitled "The Crisis in the Education of the Negro". In his address FRAZIER questioned whether university education could be based upon racial exclusiveness.

Confidential Informant of known reliability, advised that a booklet entitled "Discrimination in Higher Education" was published by the SCEF, Inc., and that the SCEF was attempting to distribute and sell this publication. The booklet was a compendium of the various addresses made at the Atlanta Conference on April 8, 1950.

On Pages 11 through 22 of the booklet "Discrimination in Higher Education" is published the text of FRAZIER's keynote address under the title "The Crisis in Negro Education."

Confidential Informant furnished a letterhead of the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. dated June, 1951, which contained a list of the officers and members of the Board of Directors of the SCEF. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was named as a member of the Board of Directors.

The Southern Patriot, February, 1952 edition on Page 2, Column 2, lists Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Professor of Sociology, Howard University, Washington, D. C., as a member of the Board of Directors of the Southern Conference Educational Fund.

Confidential Informant New of unknown reliability, on October 9, 1952, furnished a letterhead of the SCEF, Inc. On the reverse side of this letterhead, E. FRANKIIN FRAZIER, Professor of

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Sociology, Howard University, Washington, D. C., was listed as a member of the Board of Directors of the SCEF as of May, 1952.



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The keynote address made by FRAZIER on 4/8/50 at the conference coordinated by the SCEF at Atlanta University is not being set out in the body of this report inasmuch as it is not believed that it pertains to the loyalty of the employee. The article tends to show why the author does not believe that racial discrimination can be practiced in higher education. The fact that FRAZIER did make the keynote address is set out in the report inasmuch as the Southwide Conference was sponsored by the SCEF and FRAZIER was a member of the Board of Directors.

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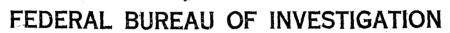
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At San Juan, Puerto Rico Dated July 21, 1953

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stated he met FRAZIFR again in 1952 when they chanced to locate each other in Paris and Venice. He continued that in the short period of time he has had contact with FRAZIER, he was never given any reason to consider FRAZIER an American of questionable loyalty. He said FRAZIER was a liberal thinker as regards racial relations, but not the type of person who would embrace Communism. He further stated that FRAZIER is a top-rate

b6 b7C sociologist and an outspoken person. He advised that he knew FRAZIER to be a prolific writer of books. He said he did not know FRAZIER well enough to advise in what organizations FRAZIER might have been a member. He concluded by stating he considered FRAZIER to be a good American citizen concerning whom he had no information of subversive tendencies or activity.

#### Credit and Criminal

There is no record of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER located in either the Retail Credit Bureau of the headquarters of the Puerto Rico Police Department, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

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July 21. 1953 Cleveland. Ohio

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The Cleveland "Press," a Cleveland daily newspaper, on May 9, 1948 carried an advertisement signed "Civil Rights Congress, 205 East 42 Street, New York 17, New York," demanding the defeat of the Mundt Bill, requesting readers to write their Congressmen and ask him to vote against the Mundt Bill, and asking for contributions "to spread this fight across the nation." The article contained a list of 54 names of individuals, including that of M. FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

The Civil Rights Congress has been cited by the Attorney General b7C as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9855.

Personnel Office. West Steel Casting Company, 805 East 70 Street, Cleveland, Ohio, was unable to find any record of the stated that his records employee's employment with this courary. contained no information on employees who were terminated earlier than 1920.

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The files of the Cleveland Police Department were checked, and found to contain no record of the employee or his wife.

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reflect that the employee is eligible for rehire. \_\_\_\_\_ advised she was not acquainted with the employee. These records do not reflect an address for the employee in Los Angeles.

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HARVEY J. LOCKE, Associate Professor in Sociology, advised that he has known the employee as a close friend for twenty years and was influential in bringing him to this school for six weeks during the summer of 1948. He stated the employee taught Inten-Cultural Workshop. He stated he would highly recommend the employee as to character, loyalty, associates and reputation. He stated the employee resided near the campus during the above period, but he does not know the address.

### MISCELLANEOUS

The 1948 Report of the California Committee on Un-American Activities reflects on Page 181 that E. FRANKITM FRAZIER was among those who have been affiliated with or who have given support to the American Youth Congress.

This report further reflects on Page 351 that E. FRANKLIN PRAZIER was among those who composed the Communist front known generally as the Citizens Committee to Free Earl Browder.

The American Youth Congress and the Citizens Committee to Free Earl Browder have been cited by the Attorney General of the United States as being within the purview of Executive Order 10450.

The files of Los Angeles , which agency maintains records concerning some phases of Communist Party activity in the Los Angeles area, have been utilized during this investigation.

The files of Los Angeles , which agency maintains records concerning some phases of Communist Party activity in the Los Angeles area, contained no record of the employee.

Other informants acquainted with some phases of Communist Party activity in the Los Angeles area, advised they are not acquainted with the employee and have no information concerning him.

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### CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

The files of the Identification Divisions of the Los Angeles Police Department and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, and the Los Angeles Retail Merchants Credit Association contained no record of the employee.

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### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Mr. L. R. BYWATERS, Comptroller, Fort Valley State College, Fort Valley, Georgia, advised that he became affiliated with Fort Valley State College in 1919. He recalls, however, that Dr. EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER lectured at the campus of that school in 1916 and 1917, although no permanent record is available. Since then, Mr. BYWATERS stated, Dr. FRAZIER has returned to Fort Valley State College periodically to deliver addresses although Dr. FRAZIER is not and has not been a faculty member of that institution.

Mr. BYWATERS pointed out that Dr. FRAZIER is considered an outstanding scholar of good character and reputation. Mr. BYWATERS stated that based upon his observation of Dr. FRAZIER he considered him a loyal American citizen of good character and reputation, and he would recommend him for a position of trust in the Government service.

Mrs. V. J. WOODWARD, Secretary to the Dean, Fort Valley State College, Fort Valley, Georgia, advised that that school was formerly known as the Fort Valley High and Industrial School around 1916 and 1917. She stated she first became acquainted with Dr. FRAZIER in 1916 and has had contact with him since that time. Mrs. WOOD-WARD stated that based upon her observation of Dr. FRAZIER she considered him to be a person of good character, loyalty and associates, and she would recommend Dr. FRAZIER for any position of trust and confidence in the Government service.

Dean W. W. E. BLANCHET, Fort Valley State College, Fort Valley, Georgia, advised that he has known Dr. FRAZIER since 1932. He stated that his association with Dr. FRAZIER was limited to meetings at school functions and professional meetings in connection with education. Dean BLANCHET stated that Dr. FRAZIER was an extremely brilliant sociologist whom he considered to be a person of good character, reputation, associates and loyalty. Dean BLANCHET stated that he would highly recommend Dr. FRAZIER for any position of trust and confidence.

vised that he has been acquainted with Dr. FRAZIER as a result of a mutual interest in education and has heard Dr. FRAZIER lecture on a number of occasions.

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b2 MProfessor E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Howard University, Washington, D. C.\* Atlanta b7D informants familiar with CP activities in Georgia, not acquainted with FRAZIER. Credit and criminal checks at Atlanta, C3. negative.

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Washington Field dated 6/23/53.

stated that his contacts with Dr. FRAZIER have been of a professional nature, but based on these contacts he considers Dr. FRAZIER to be a loyal American citizen.

Deputy Clerk, Peach County, Georgia, and Mr. GRADY COCHRAN,

Chief of Police, Fort Valley, Georgia, advised that there was no reference made

There is no Credit Bureau located in Fort Valley, Georgia or Peach County, Georgia.

in their files to EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

Dean BRAILSFORD R. BRAZEAL, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that he had been well acquainted with Dr. EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER for over twenty years. Dean BRAZEAL advised that Dr. FRAZIER was an eminent scholar, and outstanding sociologist. He pointed out that Dr. FRAZIER was at one time president of the American Sociological Society, with headquarters in New York City. Dr. BRAZEAL stated that he could not be specific with respect to other organizations to which Dr. FRAZIER belonged.

Dr. BRAZEAL stated that based on his personal observation of Dr. FRAZIER as well as his own reading of articles writeen by Dr. FRAZIER that he is convinced that Dr. FRAZIER is a strong believer in democratic principles. Dean BRAZEAL stated that based upon his observation of Dr. FRAZIER that he would consider him a very loyal American citizen of excellent character, reputation and associates.

Dr. N. P. TILLMAN, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that although he has not been in personal contact with Dr. FRAZIER for about two or three years that he has known Dr. FRAZIER for about thirty years.

Dr. TILLMAN recalled that Dr. FRAZIER was formerly Director of the Atlanta School of Social Work from 1922 to 1927, and a professor at Morehouse College from about 1922 to 1924. Dr. TILLMAN stated that Dr. JOHN HOPE, now deceased, had requested Dr. FRAZIER's resignation as Director of Atlanta School of Social Work solely because he felt that Dr. FRAZIER, at that time, was not sufficiently qualified as an administrator and because Dr. FRAZIER appeared to be more interested in outside activities than he was in his duties as an administrator.

Dr. TILEMAN stated that he has followed the activities of Dr. FRAZIER as a sociologist and has read a number of works written by Dr. FRAZIER. Based upon his observations of Dr. FRAZIER in this respect, he felt that Dr. FRAZIER was anti-Communist and a strong believer in the fundamental principles of democracy.

Dr. TILLMAN stated that at no time during the thirty years that he has known Dr. FRAZIER has he known Dr. FRAZIER to become affiliated with any subversive organization or group and he has never heard Dr. FRAZIER advocate or favor communism. Dr. TILLMAN stated that based upon his observation of Dr. FRAZIER he would recommend Dr. FRAZIER as a loyal American citizen of good character, reputation and associates.

Dr. FOREST BLANCHARD WASHINGTON, Director, Atlanta University School of Social Work, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that this school is a successor to the Atlanta School of Social Work. Dr. WASHINGTON advised that he had succeeded Dr. FRAZIER as Director of the Atlanta School of Social Work in 1927. Dr. WASHINGTON stated that he had known Dr. FRAZIER as a very eminent sociologist and scholar who had at one time been President of the American Sociological Society. Dr. WASHINGTON stated that he had not been in close personal contact with Dr. FRAZIER for a number of years, but that he had often heard Dr. FRAZIER lecture and had read a good many articles written by Dr. FRAZIER.

Dr. WASHINGTON stated that based upon his personal observation of Dr. FRAZIER as well as his knowledge of Dr. FRAZIER's speeches and writings that he considered Dr. FRAZIER to be a loyal American citizen of good character, reputation and associates.

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, Professor of Political Science, Morehouse College, advised that he was not personally well acquainted with Dr. FRAZIER, but was acquainted with Dr. FRAZIER from a professional standpoint and had often heard him lecture and had read numerous articles written by Dr. FRAZIER. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_stated that based upon his observation of Dr. FRAZIER over the past ten years he considered him to be a person of good character, reputation, loyalty and associates.

Dr. WALTER CHIVERS, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that he has known Dr. FRAZIER for twenty-five years. However, he stated that he has not been closely associated with Dr. FRAZIER since about 1934. Dr. CHIVERS said that he recalled that Dr. FRAZIER was Director of the Atlanta School of Social Work from about 1922 to 1927, and was familiar with the circumstances under which Dr. FRAZIER had left the Atlanta School of Social Work.

Dr. CHIVERS stated that as he recalled, Dr. JOHN HOPE, former President of the Atlanta School of Social Work, now deceased, objected to the fact that Dr. FRAZIER was apparently more interested in outside activities such as speeches and writing than he was in the administrative duties attached to the work of Director of the School. Dr. CHIVERS stated that as a result Dr. FRAZIER had submitted his resignation to Dr. HOPE. Dr. CHIVERS stated that he considered Dr. FRAZIER to be a loyal American citizen of good character, reputation and associates.

Mr. L. D. MILTON, President, Citizens Trust Company, 212 Auburn Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that he had known Dr. EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER since about 1920, although he has had very little personal contact with Dr. FRAZIER for over ten years. Mr. MILTON stated that he knew Dr. FRAZIER as a fellow faculty member at Morehouse College from about 1922 to 1924 and as Director of the Atlanta School of Social Work from about 1922 to 1927. Mr. MILTON said that he was familiar with the circumstances under which Dr. FRAZIER had resigned as Director of the Atlanta School of Social Work around 1927. Mr. MILTON said that Dr. JOHN HOPE, now deceased, who was President of the Atlanta School of Social Work in 1927, objected to the fact that Dr. FRAZIER had shown a lack of sufficient

administrative ability and was apparently being distracted from his duties as Director by outside interests such as speeches and writings. As a result Dr. HOPE accepted Dr. FRAZIER's resignation. Mr. MILTON said that Dr. FRAZIER was an outstanding sociologist.

Mr. MILTON stated that he was not familiar with specific organizations to which Dr. FRAZIER had belonged other than the American Sociological Society, of which Dr. FRAZIER was one time president.

Mr. MILTON advised, although he has known Dr. FRAZIER for over thirty years that his contact with Dr. FRAZIER during the past ten or more years has been infrequent. However, he stated that based on his association with Dr. FRAZIER and his reading of articles written by Dr. FRAZIER that he believes that Dr. FRAZIER is a loyal American citizen who does not actually sympathize with any ideology inimicable to the best interest of the United States. Mr. MILTON pointed out, however, that he considers Dr. FRAZIER to be an individual who fancies himself as an ardent student of political science who has on several occasions become very lequacious and argumentative concerning various political theories. Mr. MILTON was unable to furnish any specific information as to the exact arguments or theories put forth by Dr. FRAZIER. Mr. MILTON explained that due to the lapse of time since he has had personal contact with Dr. FRAZIER he could not recollect with accuracy such arguments.

Mr. MILTON stated that he does not recall any statements of un-American character made by Dr. FRAZIER. Mr. MILTON pointed out that although he considered Dr. FRAZIER entirely loyal, he would not recommend Dr. FRAZIER for a position of trust and confidence because Dr. FRAZIER in the past has indicated that he, Dr. FRAZIER, is entirely too argumentative and at times antagonistic with respect to his statements relative to political theories.

Mr. MILTON stated that he feels that Dr. FRAZIER, possessed with this personality and disposition, might easily be misunderstood and even suspected of possessing un-American sympathies due to his ill-advised remarks concerning political theories.

Mr. MILTON advised that he considered that his conclusions in this regard were non-specific personal conclusions and observations based upon his thirty years acquaintanceship with Dr. FRAZIER and that he therefore did not care to furnish a signed statement or testify before a loyalty hearing board.

Every effort was made to obtain more definite facts and information from Mr. MILTON regarding Mr. MILTON's basis for stating that he did not feel Dr. FRAZIER was qualified for a position of trust with the U. S. Government but these efforts were unsuccessful.

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The Southern Conference for Human Welfare has been cited by the Attorney General of the United States as an organization coming within the purview of Executive Order 10422.

Other Atlanta Informants, familiar with certain phases of Communist Party activities in Georgia, advised that they were not acquainted with EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

A check was made of the Atlanta Police Department records, Atlanta, Georgia, and the records of the Atlanta Credit Bureau, Atlanta, Georgia, but no reference to EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER was located.

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The attention of the Bureau is called to the addition of the name E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER, which spelling was reflected in the listing of the Board of Director of the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Incorporated (see rerep, page 5).

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### III RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

### EMPLOYMENT

Dr. CHARLES S. JOHNSON, President, Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, advised that he has a personal recollection of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER having been a lecturer at Fisk University. Dr. JOHNSON stated that the personnel records during the period of time which he was at Fisk University were rather sketchy and have not been maintained. He is unable to locate any employment record indicating that FRAZIER was at Fisk. Dr. JOHNSON recalled that he came to Fisk University in approximately 1928 and stated that to the best of his recollection, he brought FRAZIER to Fisk University within one or two years after his arrival. He stated that FRAZIER was a lecturer in the Department of Sociology and remained at Fisk University for a period of approximately four years. Dr. JOHNSON stated that he considers FRAZIER to be one of the outstanding sociologists in the U. S. or in the world and stated that he had always found him to be a man of excellent character and reputation and a person whose associates were above reproach. Dr. JOHNSON stated that he considered FRAZIER to be entirely loyal to the U. S. Dr. JOHNSON pointed out that occasionally FRAZIER, who was very outspoken and who was a rather

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active individual, got himself into predicements which were embarrassing. He pointed out that he recalled within the past several years, Dr. FRAZIER had agreed to be the toastmaster or chairman at a dinner given in honor of a Dr. W. E. D. Dirols, but subsequent to his agreement to act as such, Dr. Dubols became involved in a litigation concerning a contempt of congress proceedings, and quite a bit of unfavorable publicity resulted with regard to Dubols. Dr. JOHNSON stated that after giving the matter due consideration, FRAZIER decided that he would go ahead and act as toastmaster inasmuch as he had known Dubols for years and that he felt that he should go ahead regardless of the publicity. Dr. JOHNSON stated that he pointed this out to indicate the type of person that FRAZIER is. He stated that he has no personal knowledge of FRAZIER's membership in any organization which could be considered subversive and that, in his opinion, FRAZIER is entirely loyal to the U. S. and is opposed to Communism.

The "Daily Worker," an east coast daily Communist publication, page seven, issue of October 26, 1943, contains an item concerning the first classes held at the George Washington Carver School in New York City. This article notes that Dr. CHARLES S. JOHNSON, Fiske University, was, with Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, one of the lecturers on Race Relations.

The George Washington Carver School has been declared within the purview of Executive Order 10450 by the Attorney General.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Dr. GEORGE N. REDD, professor and dean at Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, advised that he is personally acquainted with EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER but stated that he never knew him at Fisk University. Dr. REED stated that he and FRAZIER are both from Baltimore, Maryland, and that he has known FRAZIER for practically his entire life. He pointed out that he was one of FRAZIER's first students when FRAZIER started teaching in a high school in Baltimore, Maryland. He stated that he has known and has been closely associated with FRAZIER since that time and that he has an extremely high regard and a personal fondness for FRAZIER. Dr. REDD stated that in his opinion, FRAZIER is of excellent character, has a very good reputation, and his circle of associates are above reproach. He stated that he considers FRAZIER to be entirely loyal to the U. S. Dr. REDD stated that he known of no organizations of which FRAZIER has been a member which are subversive. He stated that to the contrary, it has always been his understanding that FRAZIERIs ideals are the opposite of any Communistic ideals and that he has always associated himself with those persons who are opposed to Communism. He pointed out that FRAZIER has married into an old and extremely well thought of family in Baltimore and that he has in-laws throughout the entire eastern part of the U.S. He stated that one of these in-laws is a Judge DeLANEY whose first name is banknown to REDD but

who was described by him as being a judge in New York City. He stated that DeLANEY and all of the other members of Mrs. FRAZIER's family are known to be extremely conservative and have always been known to be anti-Communist. He stated that to his knowledge, FRAZIER has always associated himself with this group.

The previously mentioned issue of the "Daily Worker" of October 26, 1943, refers to "an original contribution of \$1,500 from PAUL ROBESON and Judge HUBERT DELANEY (both are on the Board of Directors). . "

L Department of Sociology, Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, advised that she has known FRAZIER since approximately 1942. She stated that she was in Washington, D. C., between 1942 and 1945 and at that time was very closely associated with FRAZIER inasmuch as both are sociologists. She pointed out that she has done quite a bit of work with him and was active in revising a book which FRAZIER wrote and she also collaborated with him to a certain extent on the book. She stated that she believes him to be of excellent character and that he has a good reputation and an enviable one as a sociologist. She stated that to her knowledge, all of his friends are entirely loyal to the U. S. and are completely above reproach, most of them being professors and persons in the intellectual field. \_\_\_\_\_ stated that probably many people would be irritated by FRAZIER inasmuch as he is completely frank and outspoken in his attitude and completely honest in all opinions which he offers. She pointed this out in trying to show some aspects of his character. She stated that he had the reputation of being very frank in giving his opinion of work and that he was regarded by other sociologists as being a man to whom they could go to get a frank opinion of any paper which they were preparing. She stated that she believed that he was entirely loyal to the U. S. and that he was anti-Communistic. She stated that she believes that he would be anti-Communist because he would see through the Communist scheme of baiting the people into their organization, and that she felt that he would see through the Communist approach. When questioned concerning some of the activities in which FRAZIER was reportedly involved, according to articles appearing in the "Daily Worker", an wast coast Communist newspaper, that she had no personal knowledge of his being involved in any such activities. She stated that if FRAZMER had ever gone on record as being in defense of the Communist Party, he would do so not because he had an interest in Communism but that he would take a position of defending the right to have a Communist Party in order to preserve the American democratic ideals of having free speech. stated that in her opinion, he is extremely loyal to the U. S. and very much in favor of the system of government which is in effect in the U. S. today. She stated that he feels in her opinion as she does, in that she feels that this is one country where there is freedom of speech and the right to think and act as one desires. She stated that if he had ever become involved in any activities such as demanding protection for the Communist Party, it would be to defend these rights for all people and not for any specific defense of the Communist Party. She stated that she, in her opinion, thinks that he is very definitely anti-Communist and that she would have no doubt whatsoever of his feelings along these lines.

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### III. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

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The records of the Baltimore City Health Department, revealed the appointee was born September 24, 1894, at Baltimore, Maryland. His father and mother were listed as JAMES and MARY TRAZIER.

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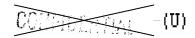
### Education

RALPH W. RECKLING, Principal, Frederick Douglass High School (formerly Baltimore High School) advised his records indicate the appointee attended the above school from September, 1908, until his graduation in June, 1912. Mr. RECKLING stated there was no record of any disciplinary action taken against the appointee. He added he taught the appointee when the appointee was in high school and he recalls him as an above average student who was an "independent thinker."

Mr. RECKLING commented by "independent thinker" he meant the appointee did not accept too readily what was told him but rather inquired for himself and made up his own mind.

Mr. RECKLING further stated he personally recalled the appointee teaching for a short time at the Baltimore High School but that he had no records available which would give the exact length of time of the appointee's employment. He advised that from his recollection the appointee was an entirely satisfactory employee and left of his own volition for a better position.

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Mr. RECKLING added he has met the appointee occasionally at teachers' conventions and meetings over the years but has not associated closely with the appointee since he was a student in school. He stated in his opinion the appointee is a person of fine character and excellent reputation who is of unquestioned loyalty to the United States. He further advised there was no one else available at the school who would recall the appointee.

### Employment

See remarks under sub-heading Education.

### Credit

Records of the Baltimore Credit Bureau, Inc., failed to reveal a record for the appointee. These records reflect the appointee's brother, STUART FRAZIER, has a satisfactory credit rating.

### Criminal

The records of the Baltimore Police Department failed to reflect an arrest record for the appointee or STUART FRAZIER.

### Miscellaneous

### National Negro Congress

The Communist front movement in the United States among Negroes is known as the National Negro Congress. The officers of the National Negro Congress are outspoken Communist sympathizers and a majority of those on the Executive Board are outright Communists.

(Special Committee on Un-American Activities report January 3, 1939, page 81)

The National Negro Congress has been declared within the purview of Executive Order 10450 by the Attorney General.

The Baltimore Sun, a Baltimore newspaper, dated October 9, 1938, contained an article which stated the Eastern Regional Conference of the National Negro Congress was held at the Colored Elks Home, 1528 Madison Avenue. One of the speakers at this conference was Dr. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Washington, D. C., professor of sociology at Howard University.

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The Civil Rights Congress has been cited by the Attorney General of the United States as coming within the purview of Executive Order 10450.

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### EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT

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clerk, registrar's office, advised that the records of her office reflect that EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER attended the University of Chicago during the summer quarter of 1923 and from the summer quarter of 1927 through the spring quarter of 1929. She stated that the record indicates that FRAZIER was born on September 24, 1894, in Baltimore, Maryland, and previously attended Howard and Clark Universities. She pointed out that there was nothing unfavorable contained in FRAZIER's education record and stated that she was not personally acquainted with him. She said that there was no local address listed for FRAZIER in the files of her office.

that the records of her office reflect that FRAZIER attended the university as a student in the Department of Sociology from the summer quarter of 1927 through the spring quarter of 1929. She said that the records of her office reflect that at the time of her last contact with FRAZIER he was employed as the chairman of the Department of Sociology at Howard University.

Said that there was nothing unfavorable contained on FRAZIER's education record. She said that she was not personally acquainted with him and that there is no one presently employed in the Department of Sociology who would be acquainted with FRAZIER in view of the fact that there has been a complete turnover of instructors within the department during the past two years.



, Controller's Office, stated that the records of his office reflect that EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER was employed as a research assistant in the Department of Sociology from the summer quarter of 1927 through the spring quarter of 1929. He said that there was nothing unfavorable contained on FRAZIER's employment record and advised that he was not personally acquainted with FRAZIER.

### MISCELLANEOUS

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The October 26, 1943, issue of the "Daily Worker" on page seven contains an article entitled "The George Washington Carver School". According to the article "the George Washington Carver School, 57 West 125th Street, Harlem's new 'people's institute', as Dr. MAX YERGAN lovingly calls it, held its first classes last night." The article contains the information that "lecturers on race relations in the city will include Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER of Howard University, author of "The Negro Family." (Exhibit A)

The "Daily Worker" is an east coast Communist daily newspaper. The George Washington Carver School, New York City, has been designated by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

statement or appear before the International Organizations Employees Loyalty Board made available the "ASP Newsletter" for December, 1950, which according to the newsletter, is published periodically by the Chicago Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions. The newsletter contained the information that the National Officers and Board Members of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions include one E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, not further identified.

of known reliability, who has a general knowledge of Communist activities in the Chicago area, advised that the Chicago Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions is the Chicago Division of the National Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions.

The Congressional Committee on Un-American Activity, review of the Scientific and Cultural Conference for World Peace, arranged by the National Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions and held in New York City on March 25, 26, and 27, 1949, Report Number 1954, April 26, 1950, cited the National Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions "as a Communist front".

The February 18, 1945, issue of the "Worker", on page eleven, columns one and two, contains an article entitled "To Mark Negro History Week". According to the article "Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER of Howard University, Washington, D. C., will be the principal speaker at the mass meeting Sunday at 4:00 PM at the Du Sable High School, 49th and State, which will climax the Negro History Week celebration in Chicago, it was announced by JOHN GRAY, Executive Director...Governor DWIGHT H. GREEN proclaimed the week of February 11-18 as Negro History Week in Illinois and requested all citizens in the state to join in appropriate observance of the organization." (Exhibit B)

The "Worker" is the Sunday edition of the "Daily Worker". The following information concerns of known reliability, who declined to furnish a signed statement or appear before the International Organizations Employees was elected to the position Loyalty Board, advised that , Communist Political of L Association, 4241 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, in January of 1945. The Communist Political Association has been designated by the b7C b7D Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835. of known reliability, who declined to furnish a

signed statement or appear before the InternationalOrganizations Employees Loyalty Board, advised that in January of 1947 was the vice chairman of the south side section of the Communist Party in Chicago, Illinois.

The Communist Party has been designated by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Reliable confidential informants in the Chicago area were contacted and they advised that they were not acquainted with EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER and had no information regarding him.

#### CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

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No credit record was located in the files of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Inc., and no criminal record was located in the files of the Chicago Police Department, both Chicago, Illinois, under the name of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, or his other names by which he is known.

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# he George Washington Carver School

#### By Ann Rivington

The George Washington Carver School, 57 W. 125th St., Harlem's new "people's institute," as Dr. Max Yergan lovingly calls it, held its first classes last night.

Dr. Yergan, who heads its board of directors, is not alone in his feel. ing of affectionate pride in the brand new educational institution you'll find behind the gold-lettered door, one flight up from the heart of Harlem. Every member of the as Negro, every citizen of the commurity who has discovered the new school, has much the same feeling.

Gwendolyn Bennett, who resigned from the administrative staff of the School for Demcracy to become the school's director, will tell you why.

#### A PART OF THE WAR EFFORT

'This school is owned and operated," she says, "by people who believe that the man in the street is a creative force that must be developed."

The school is part of the war effort and part of the future, Miss Bennett believes. It will help to cement Negro and white unity, and "to make the citizens of Harlem bester able to take their rightful place in society after this war is won."
One look around the headquarters

of rooms and offices has been made glorious with paint. Two of the artist teachers-Norman Lewis and Elizabeth C. White--"made it over" in grey and rose, green, buff and

#### DECORATING INEPENSIVE

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That spirit is catching on in the In keeping with the aims of a community. People see the letters people's school, the tuition is alon the door, and "drop in" from surely low-\$2 for an eight-weeks board, every teacher, white as well across the street or down the block to register for a course and offer course. "The school will be su to help out with anything they can ported by the community," Mass do from carpentry to typing.

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#### PEOPLE SUPPORT SCHOOL

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#### ILT. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

#### Education

Registrar, Clark University, Morcester, Massachusetts, advised that the college records disclosed that EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER attended Clark University from the fall of 1919 through June 14, 1920 at which time he was awarded an M.A. degree. stated the school records for this period of time were very incomplete and that she could furnish no additional information concerning the Employee. was unable to locate anyone at the University who could remember the Employee.

#### Employment

It is noted that Employee in his Identification and Personnel Data form indicated that he was employed with an unknown steel mill in Worcester, Massachusetts during the summer of 1921. Pertinent directories for this period were checked, but found to contain no information as to the residence and employment of the Employee at Worcester, Massachusetts.

#### Miscellaneous

The Portland "Press Herald", Portland, Maine daily newspaper, contained an article in its issue of November 5, 1943, announcing the Second Congress of American Soviet Friendship was to be held in New York on November 6, 7 and 8, 1945 and that Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER of Howard University was to speak on the topic of "A Negro's look at the Soviet Union"

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advised that Dr.

E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was a member of the Board of Officers of the Council on African Affairs as of March, 1942, and May, 1942. This informant also advised that as of August, 1945, E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, was a council member of the Council on African Affairs.

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In Volume 2, #4, fall of 1938, and in Volume 1, #4, Summer of 1937, of the quarterly magazine "Science and Society," there appeared articles which disclosed that during the fall of 1938, E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER contributed an article entieled, "Some Effects of the Depression on the Negroes in the Northern Cities," and during the Summer of 1937, contributed a book review entitled, "A Study in Cultural Conflicts" on a book entitled, "Middletown in Transition." This magazine disclosed that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was a contributing editor.

Special Committee on Un-American Activities in its report dated March 29, 1944, on page 96, cited "Science and Society" as a Communist publication.

The California Committee on Un-American Activities in its report dated in 1948 on page 225, cited "Science and Society" as among publications which the Committee found "to be Communist initiated and controlled, or so strongly influenced as to be in the Stalin Solar System."



Other logical Boston informants, of known reliability, who are in a position to know of some phases of Communist Party activity in the New England area, could provide no information concerning the Employee or his family.

#### Credit

Personnel of the Credit Bureau, Incorporated, of Greater Boston, 11 Beacon Street, Boston, Massachusetts, advised they were unable to locate any credit records identifiable with the Employee or his family.

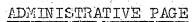
Associated Credit Bureau, Worcester, Massachusetts, advised he was unable to locate any credit records identifiable with the Employee or his family.

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#### Criminal

Personnel of the Massachusetts State Board of Probation, Suffolk County Court House, Boston, a central repository for all criminal conviction records in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, advised they were unable to locate any records identifiable with the Employee or his family.

Police Department, advised he was unable to locate any criminal records identifiable with the Employee or his family.





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Dr. WILLIAM J. TRENT, President, Livingstone College, advised that he had been President of the College since 1925 and he understood that the employee had served as director of summer school in 1922 under Dr. G. C. SUGGS, now deceased. Dr. TRENT advised there was no one presently at the college who was here when the employee directed the summer school. Dr. TRENT stated, however, that he was personally acquainted with the employee while FRAZIER was Professor of Sociology at Morehouse College in 1920s. He further stated that he had also known the employee casually during the summers of 1926 and 1927 while the employee was attending the University of Chicago. Dr. TRENT advised that he had never had any reason to question the employee's loyalty to this country and that he was not aware of the fact that the employee was a member of any subversive organizations. Dr. TRENT stated that he has not had any contact with the employee since 1926 or 1927. Dr. TRENT stated further that the employee married a MARIE BROWN who was originally from Winton, North Carolina.

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The records of the Clerk of Superior and Recorder's Courts, Hertford County, Winton, failed to reflect any record for MARIE BROWN, MARIE BROWN FRAZIER, EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, or FRANKLIN FRAZIER.

, Bryant's Jewelry Store, Murfreesboro, North Carolina, advised that the records of the Tri-County Merchants Association reflect no credit record for any of the above listed names.

The files of the Charlotte Office reflect no information concerning EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER or his wife, MARIE BROWN FRAZIER.



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#### RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

#### Employment

Miss JULIA DUNCAN, Registrar, Livingstone College, Salisbury, North Carolina, advised that the college records during the 1920's are not complete, however they do reflect that EDWARD FRAZIER was director of a six weeks summer school session in 1922. She stated that their files reflect no further information concerning EDWARD FRAZIER. Miss DUNCAN advised that she has been with the college since 1925 and that there is presently no one at the college who was here at the time the employee served as director of summer school.

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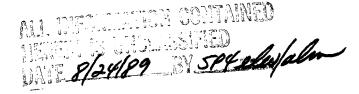
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This will advise that on September 25, 1953. Supervisor J. M. Fitzgerald, of the New York Office, telephonically furnished the status of the following United Nations Investigations presently pending in the New York Office with deadlines prior to September 15, 1953. These investigations are supervised at the Employees Security Section.

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EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, also known as, E. Franklin Frazier, Franklin Frazier, E. Franklyn Frazier United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Paris, France LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS-IR

August 20, 1953 New York, New York

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RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

An article appearing in the "Daily Worker" of October 16, 1944 reflects that one Dr. E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER spoke at a meeting to pay tribute to HOWARD FAST. This meeting was held under the auspices of the "Daily Worker."

The "Daily Worker" is an East Coast Communist daily newspaper. , of known reliability, advised in January of 1949 that HOWARD FAST was a member of the Communist Party. The "Daily Worker" dated December 31, 1947 contained an article by JOSEPH STAROBIN in which he referred to HOWARD FAST as an American Communist. of known reliability, advised in October of 1950 that HOWARD FAST was a Communist Party member.

The Communist Party has been cited by the Attorney General as an organization coming within the purview of Executive Order 10450.

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In an article appearing in the "Daily Worker" dated March 18, 1945 it was reflected that Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Howard University, Washington, D. C., signed a statement commending the War Department's stand on the question of rendering Communists and Communist sympathizers eligible for Army commissions.

It is to be noted that the employee indicated on his Identification and Personnel Data for Employment of United States Citizens Form that he had been employed at Howard University, Washington, D. C., since 1934.

An article appeared in the "Daily Worker" dated April 20, 1947 entitled "Noted Citizens Rap Attack on Communists," which reflected that more than one hundred prominent individuals called upon Congress by letter to defeat the various "exceptional and punitive measures directed against the Communist Party" and opposed all legislation that would curtail the civil rights of the Communists. The name Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Howard University, appears as a signer of this letter.

The February 9, 1951 issue of the "Daily Worker" reflected that Professor E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, former lecturer at Columbia University and New York School of Social Work and presently Head of the Department of Sociology at Howard University, Washington, D. C., was to lecture on "War or Peace." This lecture was to be sponsored by the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions.

The article entitled "Artists, Scientists Parley Urges Peace," appearing in the May 1, 1950 issue of the "Daily Worker," reflects that one E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER was one of the officers elected to the National Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions.

The article entitled "Artists, Science Leaders Ask Rehearing For 'll'," which appeared in the June 15, 1951 issue of the "Daily Worker" showed the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions endorsed the dissenting opinion in the case of the eleven Communists under the Smith Act. Endorsers of this opinion included the name of one Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Sociologist.

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, of known reliability, advised in November, 1950 that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was a Vice Chairman of the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, Incorporated.

It is to be noted that the employee indicated on his Personnel Data Form that he was a Vice-President of the Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions.

The "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" dated May 14, 1951, prepared and released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., contains the following concerning the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions:

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"l. Cited as a Communist front.

(Congressional Committee on Un-American Activities, Review of the Scientific and Cultural Conference for World Peace arranged by the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions and held in New York City on March 25, 26, and 27, 1949, House Report No. 1954, April 26, 1950 (originally released April 19, 1949), p.2)."

In an article appearing in the February 6, 1951 issue of the "Daily Worker" it was reflected that Dr. E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER, Howard University, Sociologist, was the Chairman of a sponsoring committee which sponsored a dinner for Dr. WILLIAM DU BOIS.

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of known reliability, advised that he knew Dr. W.E.B. DU BOIS to be a member of the Communist Party as of 1945.

On May 17, 1950 of known reliability, furnished a copy of a petition which was presented to the General Assembly of the United Nations and the Commission

NY 138-1583 On Human Rights which consisted of an appeal to investigate the sentence imposed on twenty-five American citizens who had been cited by the Committee On Un-American Activities of the House of Representatives of the United States. This petition stated that "This committee had become a spearhead of an attempt to outline the rights of individuals of freedom of speech and association. This had been abetted by the Executive Branch of the Government and acquiesced in by the courts. In this pattern of repression is a wave of deportations, the loyalty purge, the imposition of prison sentences on lawyers defending radicals and trade unionists, and the trial and conviction of eleven leaders of the Communist Party for mere advocacy and teaching of supposed revolutionary ideas, the peacetime prosecution for the entire leadership of a political party for 'sedition' in our history." The name of Dr. E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Washington, D. C., appeared as a signer of the above petition. of known reliability. advised in September of 1949 that Professor E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER. District of Columbia. was one of the sponsors of the National Non-Partisan Committee to Defend The Rights of The Twelve Communist Leaders. of known reliability, advised that one Dr. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was on the sponsoring committee of the send-off reception to delegates to the World Peace Congress on November 10, 1950. The "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" dated May 14, 1951, prepared and released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., contains the following concerning the World Peace Congress: "World Peace Congress "l. Cited as a Communist front among the "peace" conferences" which 'have been organized under Communist initiative in various countries throughout the world as part of a campaign against the North Atlantic Defense Pact. "(Congressional Committee on Un-American Activities, Review of the Scientific and Cultural Conference for World Peace - h -

NY 138-1583 "arranged by the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions and held in New York City on March 25, 26, and 27, 1949, House Report No. 1954, April 26, 1950 (originally released April 19, 1949), p. 10; and Interim Statement on the Communist Peace Petition Campaign, July 13, 1950; and House Report No. 378, on the Communist 'Peace' Offensive, April 25, 1951, original date, April 1, 1951, p. 16)." dadvised on May 2, 1951 that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was a member of the Board of Directors of the Committee For A Democratic Far Eastern Policy. It is to be noted that the employee indicated on his Personnel Data Form, previously mentioned, that he was a board member of the Committee For Far Eastern Democratic Policy. A review of "Science and Society" magazine for the period approximately 1936 to 1940 reflects that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, Head of the Department of Sociology, Howard University, Washington, D. C., signed a statement for a news release entitled "Masses," which was issued by the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship for release on b2 February 9, 1948. b7D The periodical "New Africa," official publication of the Council on African Affairs, in its September, 1943 issue, reflects that E. FRANKLYN FRAZIER was a member of the Council. It is to be noted that the employee indicated on his Personnel Data Form, previously mentioned, that he was a board member for the Council on African Affairs. The Committee For A Democratic Far Eastern Policy, the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, and the Council on African Affairs have been declared by the United States Attorney General to be within the purview of Executive Order 10450. of unknown reliability, a former Communist functionary, advised that a mass meeting of the Fair Employment Practice Committee was held on January 27, 1943 at the Young Men's

Christian Association in New York City and that on January 25, 1943, they had also held a mass meeting in Washington, D. C., in protest against the calling off of the Fair Employment Practice Committee hearings regarding discrimination in the railroad industries.

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b7D the leadership of a person by the name of EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, tried to crash this meeting at Washington, D. C.

NY 138-1583 Education Columbia University New York School of Social Work 2 East 91st Street New York that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER had attended this school on a fellowship for two semesters during the academic year, 1920-1921. \_\_ further advised that Mr. FRAZIER had been employed as a lecturer at this school during the Winter and Summer quarters of 1943 through 1947, Winter quarter of 1947-1948 and Fall and Summer quarter of 1948-1949 and the Winter and Summer quarter of 1950 and Winter quarter of 1950 and 1951, during which time he lectured to one class a week and commuted from his home in Washington, D.C. stated she could not advise of anyone who would be acquainted with the employee due to the limited amount of time he spent at this school. b6 b7C Secretary, Secretary's Office, Columbia University, 116th Street and Broadway, New York City, advised that her records reflect that the employee resides at 220 Rhode Island Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., and that she also could not furnish the names of anyone who would be familiar with the employee due to his limited amount of time he spent at this school. Employment New York University Washington Square New York City advised from her records that the employee had been employed as

a visiting professor of sociology during the summers of 1944-1951. These records reflected no local address for the employee but indicated that he had resided at the Albert Hotel.

stated she could not suggest anyone presently at the school who would recall the employee inasmuch as they are all on summer vacation and are presently unavailable.

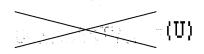
of known reliability, who is acquainted with members of the faculty of Sarah Lawrence College, advised that the employee was unknown to him.

, of known reliability, who is also acquainted with members of the faculty of Sarah Lawrence College, advised that he was not acquainted with the employee and could not advise of anyone else who might know him inasmuch as he was employed here for only eight weeks.

of known reliability, who is acquainted with employee's brother, Dr. WILLIAM HENRY FRAZIER,

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20h Warburton Avenue, Yonkers, New York, advised that he is a high type individual who enjoyed a good reputation, both professionally and personally.
FRAZIER'S political beliefs and has heard nothing which would indicate that he was anything other than a loyal American citizen.  advised that he was not acquainted with the employee and does not know anything concerning him.
Neighborhood
Albert Hotel 65 University Place New York, New York
, advised after a thorough check of his records, that he could not locate any record to indicate that the employee resided there.  stated that he does not recall the employee.
, who has been employed at this hotel for approximately three years, advised that the employee was unknown to him.
, who has been employed here approximately two years, also advised that the employee was unknown to him.

#### Miscellaneous

Old records maintained by the New York City Police Department, 321 East 5th Street, New York City, reflect that E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER was arrested on May 6, 1921 for disorderly conduct at 51st Street and Broadway, New York City, which is the location of the Capitol Theatre. This record reflected that Mr. FRAZIER was 26 years old. It was also shown that Mr. FRAZIER received a suspended sentence on May 12, 1921 in the 7th Magistrate's Court, New York City, New York.

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b6 b7C New York, advised after a check of the 1921 records of the 7th Magistrate's Court that he could locate no record for the above arrest.

It is to be noted that the employee indicated on his Personnel Data Form, previously mentioned, (item number 22) that he was arrested in 1921 for picketing the Capitol Theatre, New York City, which was exhibiting an anti-Negro film "Birth of a Nation."

It is also indicated thereon that his "Conviction reversed by Appellate Court of the State of New York."

The records of the Bureau of Special Services and Investigation, New York City Police Department, reflect no additional information pertinent to this investigation.

The records of the Bureau of Criminal Identification, New York City Police Department, reflect no record for the employee.

A check of the records of the Bronxville Police Department, Bronxville, New York, contain no record for the employee or his brother WILLIAM HENRY FRAZIER.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York and the Westchester Credit and Collection Bureau, Incorporated, White Plains, New York, contained no record for the employee.

New York City Confidential Informants, of known reliability, who are acquainted with Communist Party activities in the New York City Area, advised that they do not know the employee and have no information concerning him.

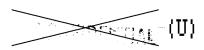
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Title: EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER,

also known as

E. Franklin Frazier, Franklin Frazier, E. Franklyn Frazier

United Nations Educational, Scientific,

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Report of: Special Agent

Date and Place: August 20, 1953, at New York, New York.

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(REFER TO EMPLOYEES SECURITY SECTION)

EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, AKA, LEUN-IR. REBULET TO WFO JUNE TWENTY THREE. RALPH BUNCHE ADVISED IN 1942 WHEN CONTACTED DURING HATCH ACT INV. THAT HE KNEW FRAZIER AS FELLOW TEACHER AT HOWARD UNIV. AND ADVISED THAT HE RECALLS FOLLOWING INCIDENT: BUNCHE HAD READ A PAPER ATTACKING GERMANY AND RUSSIA AT SUMMER SCHOOL MEETING AT HOWARD UNIV. ABOUT 1941. FOLLOWING THE READING OF THIS PAPER, FRAZIER VERBALLY ATTACKED BUNCHE, CALLING HIM "AN ERSTWHILE MARXIST." ALSO RECALLS THAT ONE PROFESSOR WENT TO RUSSIA DURING NINETEEN THIRTY SIX AND UPON HIS RETURN WAS VERY CRITICAL OF SOVIET UNION. DORSEY MADE APPLICATION FOR A SCHOLORSHIP TO STUDY INFIMUENCE OF CP ON THE NEGRO. CP WAS OPPOSED TO BEING ALLOWED TO MAKE THIS STUDY. BUNCHE ADVISED THAT WHEN FRAZIER WAS ASKED BY DIRECTORS OF SCHOLORSHIP FUND RE QUALIFICATIONS, WROTE THEM A LETTER STATING THAT BIASED AND NOT QUALIFIED TO WRITE ON THIS SUBJECT, THAT DORSEY EXAGGERATED INFLUENCE OF CP ON THE NEGRO: BUNCHE STATED THAT THIS LETTER WAS VERY DEROGATORY RE 138-825-29

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BUNCHE FURTHER DESCRIBED FRAZIER AS BEING A QUOTE CRAZY
RACIALIST UNQUOTE AND ADVISED THAT FRAZIER WOULD FOLLOW ANY
MOVEMENT OR ORGANIZATION WITH A STRONG RACIAL INTEREST. NY
RECONTACT BUNCHE WHO IS PRESENTLY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ASST.
SECY GENERAL, DEPT. OF TRUSTEESHIP, UN, NY, NY. BUDED JULY
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COMPTE BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

Date:

August 25, 1953

To:

Mr. John McCECCOK N. Horan **PARECTOR**X Acting Director Office of Security

Department of State

515 Twenty-second Street, Northwest

Washington, D. C.

From:

John Edgar Hoover - Director. Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject:

EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER

LOYALTY OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Reference is made to my letter dated June 19, 1953, which requested that you cause the necessary foreign investiga-tion to be conducted under the provisions of Executive Order 10422 outside the territorial limits of the United States.

In order that we may both fulfill our responsibilities under the provisions of this Order, it is requested that you have this investigation completed at your earliest convenience and forward the results to this Bureau.

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FOLLOWING- "GROUP OPENS FIGHT ON MC CARRAN ACT." SUBHEADING TO THIS ARTICLE REFLECTED, "INCLUDES CHURCHMEN, WRITERS AND EDUCATORS -CHARGES LAW EVOKES HYSTERIA." THIS ARTICLE REFLECTED IN PART THE FOLLOWING. "THIRTY TWO PROMINENT AMERICANS ANNOUNCED TODAY THE FORMATION OF A NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO REPEAL THE MC CARRAN /ANTI-SUBVERSIVES/ ACT. THIS INCLUDED TWO NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS. SIX BISHOPS AND NUMEROUS LEADING EDUCATORS AND SCIENTISTS." THE NAME OF PROFESSOR E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER. HOWARD UNIV.. IS LISTED AS ONE OF THE THIRTYTWO INITIATORS. WFO INCLUDE ABOVE IN ITS REPORT. FURTHER REFERENCE IS MADE TO WFO AIRTEL TO NY DATED AUG. TWENTYFOUR. LAST. THIS AIRTEL REQUESTED NY TO INTERVIEW DR. RALPH BUNCHE. INQUIRY AT UN. NYC. ELICITED INFO TO THE EFFECT THAT DR. BUNCHE IS IN EUROPE AND IS NOT EXPECTED TO RETURN TO NY UNTIL THE SECOND WEEK IN SEPT. / RUC.

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To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION. AUGUST 25, 1953

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Transmit the following message toAC, NEW YORK (BY MAIL)

INTERVIEW WITH RALPH BUNCHE SHOULD BE CONDUCTED BY MATURE,

EXPERIENCED AGENT. GOOD JUDGMENT SHOULD BE EXERCISED TO

INSURE THAT BUREAU WILL NOT BE OPEN TO CRITICISM FOR MANNER

OF HANDLING PROGRAM. AGENT CONDUCTING INTERVIEW SHOULD BE

FAMILIAR WITH UN CASE ON RALPH BUNCHE, ESPECIALLY WITH

REFERENCE TO THE ALLEGATIONS OF AND

SHOULD BUNCHE VOLUNTEER ANY PERTINENT

INFORMATION CONCERNING HIMSELF, SAME SHOULD BE SET OUT

IN REPORT FORM IN UN LOYALTY CASE ON BUNCHE (URFILE 138-19).

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(Note: Copy referenced airtel attached. Bunche also under investigation under UN Loyalty Program. Alleged by Patterson and Johnson to have attended a Communist Party fraction meeting in 1935 where he was introduced as Communist Party member. Frazier also alleged to be present at that meeting.)

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To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION.

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ETVARD FRANKLIN FRAZIEF, UN. FEURTEL AUGUST 25, 1953. BUPEAU TESTFES THAT PALPH BUNCHE BE INTERVIEWED IN THIS MATTER. AFRANGE-MENTS SHOULD BE MADE TO INTERVIEW HIM IMMEDIATELY UPON HIS FRIURN TO NEW YORK PER INSTRUCTIONS SET OUT IN BUREAU AIRTEL AUGUST 25. 1953.

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In Hatch Act investigation of Frazier in 1942, Bunche inter-NOTE: viewed and furnished information reflecting adversely on Frazier's loyalty. In connection with investigation of Bunche under UN loyalty program, two former CP members alleged that Bunche and Frazier attended a CP fraction meeting in Washington, D. C., in 1935, at which meeting Bunche allegedly was introduced as CP member. In referenced Bureau airtel New York was authorized to interview Bunche regarding Frazier, and to surep any pertinent information which Bunche might furnish concerning himself. In referenced New York airtel Bureau was advised that Bunche now in Europe and not expected to return to New York until mid-September.

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EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, UN. REWFO AIRTEL 8/25/53. SUREI IMMEDIATELY OR ADVISE DATE YOUR REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED. IMPERATIVE THIS MATTER BE HANDLED IMMEDIATELY.

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	EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER, AKA, UN. YOUR FILE 138-1583. WFO HAS
	REPORTED PERTINENT INFORMATION FROM 1942 INTERVIEW WITH RALPH BUNCHE,
/ · *	DESIGNATING BUNCHE AS SHOULD BUNCHE IN HIS INTER-
	VIEW WITH YOUR OFFICE REQUEST CONCEALMENT, HE SHOULD BE DESCRIBED
	AS IF HE DOES NOT DESIRE CONCEALMENT, YOUR REPORT
	SHOULD SHOW THAT HE IS DESCRIBED AS IN WFO REPORT
	IN THIS CASE. REURREP 8/20/53. ON PAGE 6, INFORMATION FURNISHED
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Ž	CONFORM AS FAR AS IS ACTUALLY TRUE WITH SAME INFORMATION IN URREP
No.	6/29/53 RE "RALPH BUNCHE, UN," YOUR FILE 138-19. IN EARLIER INTER-
	VIEW, DESCRIBED FRAZIER AS "LEADING NEGRO COMMUNIST."
	THIS INFORMATION NOT SET OUT IN REPORT RE FRAZIER. YOU SHOULD
1	DETERMINE BASIS FOR THIS STATEMENT, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW
	OF HIS CURRENT DOUBT AS TO WHETHER OR NOT FRAZIER ATTENDED CP FRAC-
The Country of the Country of the	TION MEETING IN 1935. ALSO, SINCE PREVIOUSLY
1	STATED, AS REPORTED IN BUNCHE CASE, THAT ONLY CP MEMBERS WERE IN
	ATTENDANCE AT ABOVE-MENTIONED CP FRACTION MEETING, THAT INFORMATION
<b>!</b>	SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN INFORMANTS' COMMENTS IN URREP RE FRAZIER.
	BUREAU DESIRES ALSO THAT YOUR OFFICE CONTACT OTHER LOGICAL INFOR-
	MANTS, SUCH AS, N, TO
	SCERTAIN THEIR KNOWIRBOR OF FRAZIER'S ACTIVITIES. IN THIS CON-
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TOGETHER WITH COMMENTS OF OTHER LOGICAL INFORMANTS CONTACTED IN
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(Note: originally advised that Frazier attended a CP fraction meeting in Washington, D. C., in 1935 prior to founding conference of the National Negro Congress. On recontact both expressed doubt about his having attended CP fraction meeting.)

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THE BUREAU. ADVISE WITHIN 24 HOURS DATE REPORT SUBMITTED AND

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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9/10/53, NEW YORK

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

EDWARD FRANKLIN FRAZIER; UN. REBUAIRTEL, 9/8/53. COMPLETION OF SUPPLE-MENTAL INVESTIGATION AWAITING INTERVIEW WITH DR. RALPH BUNCHE, WHO IS NOT EXPECTED TO RETURN FROM EUROPE UNTIL 9/14 OR 15/53. IT IS EXPECTED ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO ACCOMPLISH INTERVIEW WITH HIM WITHIN A DAY b6 OR TWO AFTER HIS ARRIVAL. INTERVIEW WITH ALSO DEPENDENT UPON HIS ARRIVAL IN NYC FROM WEST COAST. HE IS EXPECTED TO REACH NY ON 9/16/53 AND WILL BE INTERVIEWED IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER. FOREGOING CIRCUMSTANCES IT IS EXPECTED THAT A REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED on 9/21/53.

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Special Agent in Charge

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STATUS OF UNITED NATIONS CASES PENDING IN WASHINGTON FIELD WITH BUREAU MEADLINES PRIOR TO AUGUST RO. 1953

of Washington Field Division telephonically Supervisor advised on September 14, 1953, the status of the following United Nations Toyalty investigations with Bureau deadlines prior to August 20, 1953, presently pending in Washington Field Office: Georgia Stapleton Allen - CSC outstanding; pending report in CSC has not located file - RUC today - No lead; RUC 8/25/53 \* RUC today RUC 9/14/53 - RUC today Wicholes Wladimirovitch Orloff - RUC today 1 - RUC today RUC today still outstanding; sheeked today ET. . State outstanding; called today - Passport still outstanding - can't locate; checked today - checked today; found new leads at CSC ] \* Dictated 9/16/53 \* File misplaced; RUC Solow . File misplaced; RUC - RUC yesterday - RUC today

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September 14, 1953 Washington, D. C.

#### I. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

b6	D. C., advised that he has been acquainted with FRAZIER for approximately twelve to fifteen years, and considers him to be an intimate social acquaintance of hisstated that the appointee was a good-natured type of person who was a scholar and an extremely intelligent individual. He described FRAZIER as being an ideal family man, and said that although FRAZIER will take a social drink on occasion he has nothing but the highest regard for his moral character.
b7С	stated that FRAZIER has done extensive travelling throughout the world. particularly South America, and advised that he recalls that on several occasions FRAZIER has reflected upon the comparison of life in other countries with that here in the United States stated that in all remarks of this type FRAZIER has commented upon the very high standard of living that we in the United States enjoy, and has expressed pride in being an American further advised that he regards FRAZIER as being a "whole-hearted patriotic American," and said that "he doesn't belong to the left-wing crowd." advised that he would recommend FRAZIER highly for any position of trust and responsibility.

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9/17/53, NEW YORK

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September 25, 1953
New York, New York

#### I. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

do the Communist Party, advised that in May 1935 a convention of Negro leaders, including both Communists and non Communists, was held on the campus of Howard University. One of the purposes and results of this convention was the organization of the National Negro Congress.

Just prior to the opening of the Howard University convention, a meeting of the Communist Party leaders, constituting the Communist fraction of the proposed Congress, was held to formulate plans to assure Communist control of the National Negro Congress. \_\_\_\_\_\_ referred to this meeting as a Communist caucus and said it was a closed meeting and that only leading Negro Communists attended.

advised that the idea of a national Negro congress was originally developed as a part of the "Popular front" policy originating at the seventh world congress in Moscow. The proposal for a national Negro congress had been approved by the National Committee of the Communist Party prior to the Howard University convention.

said that to the best of his recollection, E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER, then a professor at Howard University, was present at this meeting. stated that if he was present, as he believes, it would indicate that FRAZIER was a member of the Communist Party inasmuch as only Communist Farty members were allowed at the meeting. stated that he had no further information on E. FRANKLIN TRAZIER and declined to furnish a signed statement or to testify before a Hearing Board inasmuch as he is not entirely certain that FRAZIER was among those present.

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of unknown reliability, a former mof the Communist Party, furnished approximately the same information ing the May 1935 conventions held on the campus of Howard University. also advised that just prior to the convention, a meeting of the top of the Communist Party present at the convention, which group compose the Communist fraction, was called by a former vide proposed and policy to be followed by the Communist groups in order to control formation and activities of the proposed National Negro Congress.	concern- He\ leaders ed esidential ocedure
advised that he believes E. FRANKLI was one of those present at the Communist caucus, but is not entirely	certain
of this because of the lapse of time. He stated that if FRAZIER was it would indicate that he was a member of the Communist Party as only Party members were permitted.	
advised that he has considered the	employee
to have been a leading Negro Communist because he has been a regular	
of Communist causes and Communist front organizations. He stated he	
know definitely that FRAZIER had been a member of the Communist Party said he had assumed he was. could not recall whether he had every	
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or to testify before a Loyalty Hearing Board.	etic
, of unknown reliability, a former colle	ague
or the employee at Howard University, advised that he first came to k	now
the employee about 1935 when he joined the Howard University faculty	
Sociologist. advised that his relations with the emplement equite cordial until about 1939 or 1940, when an incident occurre	
which caused him to doubt the honesty and sincerity of FRAZIER. This	
concerned another faculty member, who had applied for	
Rosenwald scholarship. FRAZIER told that he had writt	en a
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probably prevented him from obtaining the scholarship. The informant that wiews were anti-Communist and that this may have been o	
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stated that after this incident, he did not feel that the employee was trustworthy and had very few dealings with him thereafter. advised that he was not associated with the employee during the 1940's. He stated that in January, 1951, Dr. FRAZIER, in his capacity as Chairman of the sponsoring committee, sent him an invitation to a testimonial dinner for W.E. DuBOIS, mentioned in previous report, which declined. The informant stated that during the 1930's when he had known him, the employee did not seem to be actively interested in Communism or Marxism, but that he understood that during the 1940's, the employee had become quite a joiner and supporter of Communist front organizations.
stated that he had heard that FRAZIER was a member of the Council on African Affairs, but did not know how active he was in the affairs of that organization. He stated that he did not recall whether Dr. FRAZIER had been a member of the Teachers Union at Howard University or had participated in factional disputes between the Communist and non-Communist members of the Howard University chapter of the Teachers Union.
also advised that he, had been a member of the National Negro Congress, previously mentioned, which had its origin in the 1935 conference at Howard University and its first national convention at Chicago in 1936. stated that he was present at both of these meetings, but could not recall if the employee had participated in either meeting or if the employee had ever been a member of the National Negro Congress.
stated that his close association with Dr. FRAZIER had ended prior to 1940, but that from Dr. FRAZIER's activities, of which he has since heard, he would say that Dr. FRAZIER has the reputation as a fellow traveler and supporter of the Communist causes. He said he had no information that FRAZIER had been a member of the Communist Party.
advised that Dr. FRAZIER was considered an excellent Sociologist but was not otherwise highly regarded by his fellow faculty members as he was rather rough, without polish, and believed to consider his own interests above all others. He stated the employee's wife is not in any way interested in any type of ideological activity so far as he knew.
stated he did not recall any particular degree of association between Dr. FRAZIER and other individuals on the Howard University faculty who were generally assumed to be Communist.  declined to furnish a signed statement or to
appear before a Hearing Board at the present time.

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	previously mentioned, advised that he had
	first met the employee during World War I. He said that his opinion of
	the employee at that time was that he was "personally ambitious and self
	assertive", and he has had no reason to revise this opinion.
	advised that Dr. FRAZIER was for some years
	a member of the Council on African Affairs, previously mentioned. He stated
	that in 1948 a factional fight, based mainly on the issue of Communism,
٠	developed in the organization. This divergence of opinion resulted in the
	ousting of MAX YERGAN and his replacement by FAUL ROBESON, the present
	director.
	stated that he understood that YERGAN had
	requested the assistance of Dr. FRAZIER as a Board member against ROBESON
	and his Communist clique, but that FRAZIER had refused to help YERGAN and
	seemed to favor the Communist group. stated he did not know whether this was based on Dr. FRAZIER's ideological viewpoints or because
	of some personal animosity toward MERGAN.
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	advised that around 1946 or 1947, he had
	heard FREDERICK VANDERBILT TELD, who was active in the formation of a
	Democratic Far Eastern policy, previously mentioned, suggest the name of
	E. FRANKLIN FRAZIER as a potential member of that organization.
	that he had heard that FRAZIER did later become a member.
	Concerning FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD,
	previously mentioned, advised in 1947 that FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD was
	a member of the newly formed foreign affairs committee of the Communist Party.
	also advised that FREDERICK V. FIEID and
	ALEXANDER TRACHTENBERG were considering offering the employee an appointment
	to the Board of Trustees of the Jefferson School of Social Science, New York,
	New York, sometime in the late 1940's, but he did not know what action, if
	any, had been taken on this proposal.
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	, of known reliability, advised in 1947
	that ALEXANDER TRACHTENBERG was a member of the National Review Committee
	of the Communist Party. ALEXAMDER TRACHTENBERG is one of the Communist Party leaders convicted in the United States District Court, Southern District
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	of New York, on January 21, 1953 for violation of the Smith Act.
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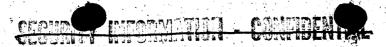
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advised that he had no information that
the employee was ever a member of the National Negro Congress in
conclusion, advised that he is doubtful of the employee in terms of security
and loyalty to the United States because of his questionable connections
and affiliations. He stated that he could not say of his own knowledge
that the employee was ever a member of the Communist Party. He said that it
may be that the employee had been unwittingly victimized by the Communist
Party and its members who had taken advantage of his personal ambition
to control and use him to the advantage of the Communist Party.
declined to furnish a signed statement or
to appear before a Hearing Board.
of known reliability, a former member of the Communist
Party, advised that she did not know the employee and could furnish no
information concerning him.

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There is set forth below a list of United Nations loyalty cases supervised in the Employees Security Section which are pending in your office and which have a Bureau deadline on or before August 20, 1953. As you know, these investigations were based on disloyal allegations and it is apparent that their early completion is necessary to preclude possible criticism of the Bureau.

These cases are being brought to your attention to insure that they are being closely followed. The Bureau is holding you personally responsible for their immediate completion.

As you will note, many of these cases are over sixty days old and must receive preferred attention.

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September 30, 1953

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Reference is made to this Bureau's memorandum dated September 22, 1953, furnishing copies of reports covering an investigation conducted concerning the captiored individual. These reports were furnished for information and consideration as to whether the evidence developed indicated a violation of any Federal law.

Enclosed herewith is a copy of this Bureau's letter of this date to the U.S. Civil Service Commission containing further information regarding the captioned matter. This is being furnished to supplement the data previously forwarded to the Department in this case. (138-825).

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